



GLADWIN HEIGHTS UNITED CHURCH
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Scriptures for March 24, 2024

Isaiah 50:4-9a
Psalm 118, parts 1 & 3 (VU 837)
Mark 11:1 – 11

Hymns for March 24, 2024

"Pave the Way with Branches"
"Answering the Call of Love"
"For Everyone Born" (revised version)
"God's Love is Boundless" v1 [Tune: 642]
MV 181 - "Lord, Your Hands Have Formed"
MV 212 - "Sent Out in Jesus' Name"

Guest speaker - The Fraser Valley Youth Society

(FVYS) is a not-for-profit society operating in the Fraser Valley since 2000. We have gone from a group of volunteers running a drop-in group in Abbotsford to a board, staff and dedicated volunteers running drop-in groups in Abbotsford, Mission and Chilliwack. We have also expanded to include Youth Advisory Councils at each drop-in location and Education and Awareness presentations throughout the Fraser Valley. We are also the founding organization that hosts Fraser Valley Pride each year with our community partners. Our main focus is to support 2SLGBTQIA+ and Allied youth in the Fraser Valley. We want to connect them to their community and to supportive inclusive help if needed.

This week at Gladwin

Easter potluck luncheon March 24, 2024 please join us for Easter luncheon. (Palm Sunday) following the morning service. Turkey and Ham provided, salads and desserts needed.

Gladwin Heights is a member church of Affirm United

March 24, 2024



Minister: Rev. Tim Bowman
Guest speaker: Fraser Valley Youth Society
Song Leader: Rita Green
Pianist: Jacob Greenan
Office Administrator: Angela Darychuk

We look forward to seeing you all this Sunday! Joint Worship is at 9:30am and Easter potluck Lunch is immediately after.

Facebook Service We broadcast the Service via Facebook Live, for those of you who are unable make it in person. Go to the Gladwin Heights Facebook Page (<https://www.facebook.com/Gladwin-Heights-United-Church-699893126828536>) and look for the Service by date. Please note if you are unable make it at worship time you can view it anytime on Facebook.

Please Note

Warm Zone Lunch Circle - Volunteers needed for Spring/Summer Roster.

Thanks to your generosity, Gladwin provides nutritious lunches every Tuesday to street entrenched women receiving help through the Warm Zone's Outreach program at Penny's Place. This is a continuation of many years of providing food for those in need. Awesome!

Our spring/summer roster starts in April, and if you would like to be added to the rotation (or as a spare) making bagged lunches, please contact Patricia Lockhart at 604-859-9679.

JARS NEEDED! Gina and Rosemary are seeking jars for jams - 250 ml and 500 ml with or without bands. Each jar we have to buy is at least \$1. We are also looking for quart jars - preferable wide mouth. We are planning a pickling bee in the kitchen in the summer and need jars.

Freezer Fruit needed Gina and Rosemary will happily take your fruit hiding in your freezer. They are starting to make jam for our fall fair.

Upcoming Happenings

Good Friday March 29 2024 Worship service at 10am at Trinity Memorial and Gladwin Heights.

Easter Sunday March 31 2024 Worship service at 9:30am

GLADWIN HEIGHTS IS A SCENT FREE ZONE

Please do not wear scented product in our building

Coming soon

Please let us know if you have contributions to include in our announcements

Church office Hours:

St. Andrews' office is open 9:00am – **3:00** pm, Wednesday
Gladwin Heights' office is open 9:00am – **3:00** pm, Thursday
Remote office hours for both Gladwin Heights and St Andrew's are Monday and Tuesday 8:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Reverend Tim's office hours:

Rev. Tim works from home on Mondays, is present in the community on Tuesdays, in the office at Saint Andrew's on Wednesdays, and Gladwin Heights on Thursdays.
Hours are flexible but generally 9:30 to 5:00.
Reach Tim at 778-791-3545 or bowmantimothy@gmail.com.

Cluster Events

Mid-Fraser Cluster Technology Assistant

The Mid-Fraser Cluster is looking for a candidate to fill a temporary parttime position with variable hours to a maximum of 8 hours per week, depending on the needs of the Cluster Chair and the associated workload. Send a cover letter and resume to: minister.tfairfield@gmail.com Application deadline is March 24, 2024. Position commences as soon as possible.

Spring into gardening with Brian Minter

who brings a fresh look at the value of plants: for people, wildlife and the planet. Brian will speak and take questions. There are door prizes followed by refreshments in the church hall where you can meet Brian. **Also Featured:** Shawn Gurney, Abbotsford's new manager of Urban Forestry. Regardless of where you call home, or whether or not you garden, this event is for you. This will be an evening of discovery.

When? April 7th 7:00-9:00 p.m. Doors open at 6:30.

**Where: Trinity Memorial United Church
33737 George Ferguson Avenue, Abbotsford**

Tickets: \$20 from your church rep or

Don Strangway: 778-808-5835

This fundraiser is for UC Earth Stewards. We plant life giving trees... 900 in the last 2 years!